



# Brunswick County Health Department Resource Guide



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**Adult/Senior Health Services-**

Offers screening, diagnosis, and management of chronic or stable health problems such as diabetes, high blood pressure, and high cholesterol. We provide treatment of minor illnesses like flu, colds, gastric upset and offer pre-employment, school and DOT physicals. Our program is staffed by an experienced Adult Nurse Practitioner who works in collaboration with Dr. Rebecca Summerlin. Our mission is to reach all areas of the county with the mobile health unit. We accept Medicare, Medicaid and have sliding scale fees. Appointments available on mobile unit and at main health department.

**Animal Services-**

Responsible for enforcing state and local animal control laws. This includes picking up of unwanted and strayed animals, animal bite and rabies investigations. Animals may be adopted or reclaimed at the shelter on highway 211. Phone number is 910-754-8204.

**Baby Love-**

Maternity Care Coordination services are available at the BCHD by a public health social worker. MCC provides counseling and case management to at-risk low income pregnant women to ensure healthy babies are born in Brunswick County. Patients could be eligible for home visits by public health nurse during their post partum period and also during their pregnancy if requested by a physician. Maternal outreach workers also work closely as a link between MCC services and Child Service Coordination. Eligibility for this service is based on MCC case management.

**Breast Cervical Cancer Control Program (BCCCP)-**

Free mammograms and pap smears are provided to screen for cervical and breast cancers. Services are provided for women ages 18-65 and must be income eligible.

**Child Screening Clinic-**

Children ages birth to 21 years of age, are screened for routine health conditions and the early detection of diseases or abnormalities. A complete physical examination, education, and counseling are included. Kindergarten physical examination and dental varnish may also be provided.

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**Child Service Coordination-**

A voluntary program available for families of children from birth to age 5 with certain conditions that may interfere with the child's physical, social, or emotional development. Incentives are given to families at specific developmental stages. This program is free for eligible children and families.

**Communicable Disease-**

A confidential testing clinic for sexually transmitted and communicable diseases through a physical exam. A nurse provides education, treatment, and information on prevention. These services are free and walk-ins are welcomed. Exams M-F 8:30am-3:30pm

**Environmental Health-**

Serves to protect the community by controlling food and water-borne diseases. This is accomplished by educating the public on environmental health issues and by the inspections of food, lodging, and public facilities. Septic tank installation is monitored through soil evaluations, the issuance of permits, and follow-up inspections to determine compliance with all state, local and environmental health laws and rules.

**Eye Clinic-**

Local ophthalmologists come to the health department twice a month for eye exams. Will see children and adults with no insurance. Call for appointment.

**General Clinic-**

Offers a wide range of health services in areas that a specified clinic is not established. Included are free childhood immunizations from birth to 18 years of age, allergy shots with physician's order, inspection for head lice with treatment available, screening for tuberculosis, high blood pressure, and cholesterol. Adult and childhood immunizations are available. Fees vary. No appointment is needed for these services. Clinic hours are 8am to 4pm Monday through Friday. 8am to 7:00pm the first Thursday of the month.

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**Health Check/Health Choice-**

Provides children , up to age 21, with FREE or low cost medical insurance, if their parents qualify under income guidelines. It covers sick visits, checkups, hospital care, prescriptions, dental, hearing/eye exams, glasses and more. Call 910-253-2340 for information and an application.

**Health Education-**

Provides education, counseling, resources, and consultations for health department services. Services help clients take an active role in making lifestyle changes to achieve and maintain optimal health.

**Health Promotion-**

Provides screening services for the early detection of chronic diseases such as diabetes, cancer, hypertension, and cardiovascular diseases.

**Laboratory Services-**

Provides lab tests requested by each of the clinics in the Health Department. Other lab testing may be performed with a doctor's order. Fees will vary.

**Maternity Clinic-**

Gives newborns a healthy start in life by providing expectant moms with early and regular pre-natal care throughout their pregnancy. Patients may choose to deliver at Brunswick Community Hospital or New Hanover Regional Medical Center. All pregnant women who are residents in Brunswick County are eligible. A postpartum visit is offered to our patients within two weeks of delivery.

**Newborn Home Visits-**

A newborn assessment is offered within two weeks after birth. This includes assessment of vital signs, weight, reflexes, feeding and bonding with its mother. Referral to support programs are made based on needs identified during this visit.

**Outreach Services-**

The Mobile Health Unit is available to go into communities and provide health screenings and services. The health department staff also participates in community events.

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**Primary Care-**

Provides well and sick care for children from birth to 21 years of age. Services include physicals for child care, day camps, sports participation, and college. A family nurse practitioner or medical doctor provides exams. Call for an appointment.

**Vital Records-**

The health director serving as local registrar is responsible for the registration of all births and deaths occurring in Brunswick County, as well as the issuance of burial transit permits and disinterment/reinterment permits.

**WIC-**

The Women, Infants and Children Nutrition Program (WIC) is a “supplemental nutrition program” offered through the Brunswick County Health Department. The WIC program is available to qualified applicants.

Who is eligible?

- \* Pregnant women
- \* Women who have recently given birth
- \* Breastfeeding women
- \* Infants
- \* Children up to 5 years old.

These services are available at the Bolivia, Leland, and Shallotte offices. For information and/or appointments please call 910-253-2388 (Bolivia) 371-6868 (Leland) 754-3177 (Shallotte).

**Women’s Preventative Health (Family Planning)-**

Education, counseling, and contraception is available to women to assist planning and preventing pregnancy. A complete physical is provided. Teenagers do not need parental consent. Fees are offered at a sliding scale. We also offer counseling and information to men interested in vasectomy. Information is also available to income-eligible men to assist with the cost of vasectomy.

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**New Hope Clinic**

4705 Southport Supply Road, SE  
Unit 202 Sentry Storage Park  
Southport, NC 28461

**910-457-6044**

Eligibility Determination: Thurs 3:30-6:30pm

Medical Treatment: Thurs 3:30pm

Pharmacy Available: 3:30pm

**Must Have an Appointment for the Following:**

Chiropractic Clinic: 4th Thursday of the month

Dental Clinic: 5:30pm on Mondays

Dermatology Clinic: 5pm 3rd Thursday, every other month

EKG Clinic: Tuesday, Wednesday or Friday

Podiatry Clinic: 5:30pm 2nd Tuesday of the Month

Orthopedic Clinic: 4th Tuesday of the Month

**\*\*Service to patients without Medicaid, Medicare or Insurance. Bring  
proof of income, social security number and driver's license.**

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**Adult Medical Clinic of Brunswick****Supply Baptist Church****910-754-6018**

1st Monday of each month 1:00-4:00pm

**\*\*Service to patients without Medicaid, Medicare or Insurance. Bring  
proof of income, social security number and driver's license.**

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**Good Shepard Clinic**

811 Martin Street  
Wilmington

**910-763-4424**

Monday—Friday 7:30am-10:30am

**\*\*Free clinic to those without Medicaid.**

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**Tileston Clinic**

1303 Cypress Grove  
Wilmington, NC 28401

**910-343-8736****910-762-0539**

Wednesdays 5-8pm

**\*\* Service to patients without insurance. Interpreter available.**

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**New Hanover Community Health Center**

925 North 4th Street  
Wilmington, NC 28401

**910-343-0270**

**Monday — Friday  
8am—5pm**

**\*\* Sliding fee scale. Interpreter available.**

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## Little River, SC

\*\*Offer sliding scale fee based on income. Call for information and hours. Interpreter available.

910-842-5991

Patients who wish to apply must call Monica at the Shallotte Office to be authorized prior to approval..

910-253-7990

\*\*Sliding scale fee based on income.

## Wilmington

**910-754-5639**

Shallotte, NC 28459

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## Dentists

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**Brunswick Family Dentistry**  
Brandon DeVito, DDS  
Corie McRanie, DDS  
20 Medical Campus DR, Suite 201  
Supply, NC 28462

**910-755-6788**  
Health Choice 6 & over  
Medicaid 3 & over

**Dr. Robert Kelly, Pediatric Dentist**  
1635 Doctors Circle  
Wilmington, NC 28401

**910-343-1735**  
Health Choice 6-8 Years  
Medicaid Ages 2-5

**Dr. Ted Sanders**  
Old Georgetown Center, Hwy 179  
Calabash, NC 28467

**910-579-0464**  
Health Choice 6 & over

**Community Dental Care**  
1611 Greenfield Street  
Wilmington, NC 28401

**910-342-9210**  
Medicaid & Health Choice  
4 & over

**Little River Medical Center Dental**  
William J. Maxwell, DDS  
2021 N. Myrtle Pointe Blvd. Suite 103  
North Myrtle Beach, SC 29582

**843-663-3300**  
Medicaid & Health Choice

**Sexton Dental Clinic**  
901 Medical Circle  
82nd Avenue  
Myrtle Beach, SC 29572

**843-449-0431**  
Only accept Medicaid  
Ages 16 & over

**Dental Center at Waterford**  
509 Olde Waterford Way  
Leland, NC 28451

**910-383-0100**  
Medicaid & Health Choice  
All ages

**Drs. Michelakis & Ward**  
343 Whiteville Road, Box 229  
Shallotte, NC 28470

**910-754-4507**  
Medicaid Limited &  
Health Choice

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**Dr. John Sweeney**  
1003 Olde Waterford Way, 1A  
Leland, NC 28451

910-383-2615  
Health Choice  
6 & over

**Dr. Dimock & Dr. Wineberg**  
3505 Converse Drive, Suite 175  
Wilmington, NC 28403

910-794-2266  
Health Choice  
6 & over

**Dr. Laris Wayne Milligan**  
2250 Shipyard Blvd., Suite 6  
Wilmington, NC 28403

910-799-5000  
Medicaid & Health Choice  
Ages 0-17

**Dr. Harry Thomas, Orthodontist**  
303 S. McNeil Street  
Burgaw, NC 28425

910-259-2548  
Medicaid & Health Choice  
Adults/Children

**Dr. Robert Freedland**  
212 Riegelwood Plaza, Hwy 87  
Riegelwood, NC 28456

Columbus County  
910-655-4966  
Medicaid & Health Choice  
4 yrs & under

**New Hanover Community Health Ctr.**  
925 N. 4th Street  
Wilmington, NC 28401

910-254-4670  
Medicaid & Health Choice  
All ages

**Tileston Clinic**  
412 Ann Street  
Wilmington, NC 28412

343-8736  
(Wednesdays Only)  
Extractions

**Dr. Douglas Fry**  
2203 Delaney Avenue  
Wilmington, NC 28401

910-762-7736  
Medicaid & Health Choice  
4 yrs & under

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New Hope Clinic, Inc.  
4705 Southport Supply Road, SE  
Unit 202  
Post Office Box 10601  
Southport, NC 28461

910-457-6044  
Extractions

Dr. Skip Tyson  
2606 Irongate Drive  
Wilmington, NC 28412

910-762-0188 Mon & Tues  
910-791-7380 Wed & Thurs  
Health Choice  
Medicaid (only with disabilities)

Dr. Gause  
417 North 7th  
Wilmington, NC 28401

910-762-5961  
Medicaid & Health Choice  
Adults & Children

Phelps & Phelps, DDS  
2471 Delaney Avenue  
Wilmington, NC 28403

910-762-3481  
Health Choice—case by case  
6 & over

Wilmington Dental Care  
Douglas L. Fowler, DDS  
2520 N. College Road  
Wilmington, NC 28405

910-790-3836  
Fax 910-790-5026  
Medicaid & Health Choice  
Ages 1-20, Spanish Interpreter

Dr. George Jones  
Village at Sunset Beach  
1780-6 Chandlers Lane  
Sunset Beach, NC 28468

910-575-6300  
Health Choice

William Pringle, DDS  
4219 Castle Hayne Road  
Castle Hayne, NC 28429  
Or 521 S. Franklin Street  
Whiteville, NC 28417

910-602-1596  
Medicaid & Health Choice  
Adults & Children 7 & over

Brunswick Family Assistance Center.  
5285 Main Street  
# 15 South Park Plaza  
Shallotte, NC 28470  
(PO Box 333, Supply, NC 28462)

910-754-4766  
Daily 9-12 & 12:30-4:30

Brunswick Island Baptist Church  
1672 Mt. Pisgah Road  
Supply, NC 28462  
Attn: Betty Brown

910-842-8969  
3rd Thursdays 3-5pm

Camp United Methodist  
Post Office Box 776  
Shallotte, NC 28459  
Attn: Susan

910-754-3352  
Saturdays  
10-12

Love of Christ Church  
4308 Business 17 East (Box 318)  
Bolivia, NC 28422

910-253-4893  
2nd & 4th Thursdays  
Call for times

Ocean View United Methodist Church  
8400 East Oak Island Drive  
Oak Island, NC 28465

910-278-5973  
Only for Southport & Oak Island  
Mon-Fri 9am to 1pm

Peace Memorial Baptist Church  
5811 Ocean Hwy East  
Winnabow, NC 28479

910-253-4428  
Last 2 Wednesdays in month  
6-7:30pm

St. Brendan's Catholic Church  
Highway 17 South  
Shallotte, NC 28470  
Attn: Kathy Doyle  
(PO Box 2984, Shallotte, NC 28459)

910-754-8544  
Mon—Wed  
10-12 noon

Seaside United Methodist  
1300 Seaside Road SW  
Sunset Beach, NC 28468

910-579-5753  
Tuesdays  
10am—12 noon

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## Food Pantries

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**Shallotte Presbyterian**  
5070 Main Street  
Post Office Box 3256  
Shallotte, NC 28459

910-754-6929

Works through Camp United Methodist

**Southport Interfaith Pantry**  
4690 Long Beach Road  
Oak Island, NC 28465

For Residents of Southport, Oak Island  
And Boiling Spring Lakes  
Tuesdays 9-12  
Thursdays 6-7:30pm  
Saturdays 9-12

**Trinity Tabernacle**  
1029 George II Hwy SE  
Winnabow, NC 28479

910-253-5878  
Mondays 9-2  
Fridays 9-2

**Waccamaw Family Resource Center**  
5901 Waccamaw School Road NW  
Ash, NC 28420

910-287-6155  
Mon—Wed.  
8:30-5pm

**Belville**  
Truth in Youth  
910-371-6100  
Tuesdays & Thursdays

**Leland**  
Family Resource Center  
910-371-5411  
Monday—Friday

**Wilmington**  
Mother Hubbard  
910-762-2199  
Mon, Wed, & Fri 1-3pm

**Wilmington**  
Catholic School Ministries  
910-251-8130  
Mon, Wed, Thur, Fri 9-11:30am

**Wilmington**  
Salvation Army  
910-762-5948  
Mon, Wed, Thur, Fri 1-3pm



Administration .....	253-2000
.....	800-442-7033
Animal Services .....	754-8204
.....	754-9261
Board of Education .....	253-2900
Board of Elections .....	253-2620
.....	888-445-2504
Brunswick Senior Resources (BSRI) .....	253-2199
Brunswick Transit System .....	754-2764
.....	253-7800
Building Inspections .....	253-2050
.....	800-822-5986
Cape Fear Sentencing Services .....	253-8548
Central Permitting .....	253-2055
.....	800-621-0609
Clerk of Court .....	253-8502
Community Service Work Program.....	253-6775
Cooperative Extension .....	253-2610
Criminal Justice Partnership Program.....	253-2888
District Attorney .....	253-8200
Economic Development Commission.....	253-4429
Emergency Communication Services .....	253-5383
.....	800-522-2379
Emergency Management Division.....	253-4376
.....	800-522-2366
Emergency Medical Services .....	253-5383
Engineering .....	253-2500
Environmental Health .....	253-2150
.....	888-428-4429
Farm Service Agency .....	253-4448
.....	253-4449
Finance.....	253-2655
.....	888-428-4426
GIS .....	253-2390
.....	800-822-1526
Guardian Ad Litem .....	253-8242
Health Department .....	253-2250
.....	888-428-4429
Judges/Trial Court Administrator .....	253-8234
Juvenile Services.....	253-4415
.....	253-4512

Landfill/Solid Waste .....	253-2510
Libraries: Margaret & James Harper, Jr.....	457-6237
Rourk .....	754-6578
Leland .....	371-9442
Barbee .....	278-4283
Hickmans Crossroads.....	575-0173
Magistrate .....	253-8231
.....	754-6235
.....	457-6614
.....	371-3581
Mental Health .....	253-4485
.....	800-224-1002
Mosquito Control .....	253-2515
Older Adults.....	253-2077
Operation Services .....	253-2515
Parks & Recreation .....	253-2670
.....	800-222-4790
Planning & Community Development.....	253-2025
.....	800-621-0609
Probation & Parole: Bolivia.....	253-7783
Shallotte .....	755-3411
Southport .....	457-0239
Leland .....	371-0334
Public Housing.....	253-2222
Recycling .....	253-2520
Register of Deeds .....	253-2690
.....	877-625-9310
Revenue .....	253-2729
.....	800-222-0593
Rural Development—USDA .....	253-4448
Service Center.....	253-2537
Sheriff's Department.....	253-2777
.....	457-5101
.....	800-672-6379
Social Services.....	253-2077
Soil & Water Conservation.....	253-2830
Tax Administration .....	253-2829
.....	800-527-9001
Utilities .....	253-2655
Veterans Services.....	253-2233
Vocational Rehabilitation .....	253-2852
Volunteer Center.....	253-2574



### Careline

800-662-7030

Provides parents with resources and referral information for their community.

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### Child Care Resource & Referral

Contact: Carol Keen                      4902 Main Street/PO Box 2232  
910-755-3362 or 877-422-7710            Shallotte, NC 28459

Referrals for parents looking for quality childcare, provides referrals to community resources, resource library, parenting newsletter "Family Ties".

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### Children's Developmental Services Association (CDSA)

Contact: Kathy Clayton                      3311 Burnt Mill Drive  
910-251-5817 or 877-763-3120            Wilmington, NC 28403

The CDSA is the lead agency for determining eligibility for early intervention services under IDEA Part C, aged birth to 3 years including children referred under the Child Abuse Prevention and Treatment Act (CAPTA). Also provides case management services and oversight of all providers carrying out treatment for those children found eligible for services.

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### Coastal Horizons Center Prevention Programs

Contact: Meredith Lott                      609-104 Shipyard Blvd.  
910-202-0840                                  Wilmington, NC 28412

Parenting classes. Programs are provided free to parents, some eligibility Requirements must be met.

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### Community Alternatives Program for Children (CAP-C)

Contact: Fran Harris, RN                      Post Office Box 1876  
910-754-5639                                  Shallotte, NC 28459

Medical case management and services in the home including nursing, personal care services, nutritional supplements, medical equipment and supplies and respite care to medically fragile children (up to age 19) with significant medical needs who desire to remain in their home and community.

### Family Support Network of Southeastern NC

910-792-6133 or 877-749-7011

4701-1 Wrightsville Avenue  
Wilmington, NC 28403

Support services to parents with children that were born premature or with other special conditions, have a developmental or learning disability, have a chronic illness, have emotional, behavioral or attention challenges, have a disability that resulted from a traumatic accident or illness, and/or is a foster child. Services include: parent-to-parent program, assistance with school issues, information and resource referrals locally and statewide, and training.

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### Hope Harbor Home

910-754-5726

Post Office Box 230

910-754-5856 Crisis Line

Supply, NC 28462

910-371-5585 Leland Center

***Collect Calls are Accepted***

A non-profit organization whose goals are to provide shelter and services to victims of domestic violence and sexual abuse and to educate the community about the dynamics of these issues.

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### Leland Family Resource Center

Contact: Margaret Roseman

1492 Village Road NE

910-371-5411

Leland, NC 28462

Grandparents Raising Grandchildren Support Group and Leland Family Literacy Center. GED & ESL programs. Provide daycare for pregnant & parenting women.

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### Lifeline Pregnancy Center

910-754-4809 x 200

Located at Highest Praise Ministries, Hwy 17, Shallotte  
Open Tuesdays from 9:30-4pm

Offers free pregnancy tests with confidential peer counseling, free maternity and baby clothes (up to 4T), diapers, formula, other baby items and equipment, community referrals, post-abortion support and abstinence education.

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### Parenting of Teens Support Group

Contact: Glenda Ansley

910-253-8820

310 Government Center Drive Unit 2  
Bolivia, NC 28422

Provides assistance to parents who need help communicating with their teens, direction with discipline and insight into today's teen issues. Classes meet twice a month and are facilitated by The Winds Counseling Center. The classes are free and open to all.

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### Parents as Teachers

Contact: Janet Rockenhauser

910-253-6516

Bolivia Elementary School

Services are geared towards families with a child aged 0-5 in the home. Services include information and activities are provided in the family's home and are based on the needs of the family. Visits are made twice a month for a family with a child aged 0-3 and once a month for a family with a child aged 4-5. Referrals can be made to the program through a school social worker.. The family must live in Brunswick County and the child must have up-to-date shot records.

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### Seaside United Methodist Church Grandparent Support Group

910-579-5753

1300 Seaside Road SW  
Sunset Beach

Support group for grandparents raising grandchildren. Meets weekly, peer support, faith-based, facilitated by Associate Pastor.

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### Single Parent Support Group

Contact: Trish Poulos

910-579-3591

Union Elementary School

Meets once per month. Children are invited to attend. Area churches provide the meeting location, dinner and childcare.

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### Teen Family Resource Center

Contact: Melissa Barnwell

910-457-0777

Brunswick County Academy

Provides continued high school education for pregnant and parenting teens as well as health services/education, parenting education, quality childcare and transportation for parent and child to school.

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### Waccamaw Family Resource Center

Contact: Courtney Milliken

910-287-6155

5901 Waccamaw School Road NW

Ash, NC 28420

GED, ESL and Parent/Child Preschool classes held Sept. to May. Childcare and local transportation provided. Senior citizen's nutrition site. Other workshops and activities.

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